# Marshall Space Flight Center

# SPI Initiative Management Steering Group

#### Terms of Reference

### 1. Purpose of the Group

The Management Steering Group (MSG) provides management sponsorship of the Software Process Improvement (SPI) Initiative.

### 2. Functions and responsibilities

The MSG is established to:

- Assign responsibility and provide resources for the SPI Initiative activities
- o Review activities, status, and results of SPI Initiative and resolve issues

# 3. Membership

The composition of the MSG is intended to reflect the full range of parties with an interest in the ongoing operation of the SPI Initiative and its activities. Names below reflect current relevant individuals in the roles/organizations.

Leann Thomas, Chair, ES50 Flight and Ground Software Division, Division Chief

Darrell Bailey, ES50 Flight and Ground Software Division, Technical Assistant

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Pat Benson, ES51 Software Systems Engineering Branch, Branch Chief

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